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UPDATE: PAVEMENT REHAB ON STATE ROUTE 330

San Bernardino County – Caltrans began the emergency paving project this week on State Route 330 from Highland Avenue to SR-18. The work is necessary to replace deteriorated pavement accelerated by winter storms. In order to complete the work before inclement weather, full daytime closures will be necessary. The daytime closures will begin Monday September 19 and tentatively take place Monday through Thursday from 8:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. and on Friday from 8:30 a.m. to approximately 3:30 p.m.

In addition to last night's Running Springs community meeting, an additional community meeting is scheduled in Big Bear next Tuesday, September 13 (6 pm - 7:30 pm) at the Big Bear Performing Arts Center. Input from the community will be given consideration and any additional changes will be released as a result.

The project will remain under flagging with one lane open and one lane closed from 6 am to 6 pm, Monday through Friday through the end of next week. Minimal delays are expected.

Motorists are advised to use SR-18 or SR-38 as an alternate route. The project completion date has been extended to early October 2005, weather permitting. For more information on mountain roadwork, please go to our website at www.dot.ca.gov/dist8 and go to "Press Releases". You may also call our Public Affairs office at (909) 383-4631.

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